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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claim 1 (Previously presented) A single- or multi-ply sanitary tissue product having a basis weight of from about 10 g/m² to about 120 g/m², wherein the sanitary tissue product comprises a differential density fibrous structure comprising low fiber density pillow regions and high fiber density knuckle regions and a structural aspect ratio of greater than 1.5 wherein the fibrous structure exhibits a modulus to tensile strength ratio as defined below:

$$\frac{ARD_{90}M}{ARD_{90}T} < 15$$

wherein $ARD_{90}M$ is the modulus measured perpendicular to the direction the structural aspect ratio is measured; and $ARD_{90}T$ is the tensile strength measured perpendicular to the direction the structural aspect ratio is measured.

Claim 2 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 1 wherein the modulus to tensile strength ratio is less than about 10.

Claim 3 (Cancelled)

Claim 4 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 1 wherein the structural aspect ratio is greater than about 2.

Claim 5 (Cancelled)

Claim 6 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 1 wherein the modulus to tensile strength ratio is less than about 10 and the structural aspect ratio is greater than about 2.

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Claim 7 (Cancelled)

Claim 8 (Cancelled)

Claim 9 (Cancelled)

Claim 10 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 1 wherein the sanitary tissue product further comprises an ingredient selected from the group consisting of temporary wet strength resins, softening agents and mixtures thereof.

Claim 11 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 1 wherein the sanitary tissue product comprises an undulatory surface.

Claim 12 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 1 wherein the differential density fibrous structure comprises two or more layers of fibers.

Claim 13 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 12 wherein at least one of the two or more layers has an average fiber length, L, of greater than or equal to 1.5 mm and at least one of the other layers has an average fiber length, L, of less than 1.5 mm.

Claim 14 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 13 wherein the at least one of the two or more layers having an average fiber length, L, of greater than or equal to 1.5 mm is positioned between two layers having an average fiber length, L, of less than 1.5 mm.

Claim 15 (Cancelled)

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Claim 16 (Previously presented) A single- or multi-ply sanitary tissue product having a basis weight of from about 10 g/m² to about 120 g/m², wherein the sanitary tissue product comprises a differential density fibrous structure having an average fiber length, L, of less than 2 mm, the fibrous structure comprising low fiber density pillow regions and high fiber density knuckle regions and a maximum stretch of less than about 15% wherein the differential density fibrous structure exhibits a modulus to tensile strength ratio as defined below:

$$\frac{\text{MSD M}}{\text{MSD T}} < 15$$

wherein MSD M is the modulus measured in the direction of the maximum stretch; and MSD T is the tensile strength measured in the direction of the maximum stretch.

Claim 17 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 16 wherein the modulus to tensile strength ratio is less than about 10.

Claim 18 (Cancelled)

Claim 19 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 16 wherein the maximum stretch is less than about 12.5%.

Claim 20 (Cancelled)

Claim 21 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 16 wherein the modulus to tensile strength ratio is less than about 10 and the maximum stretch is less than about 12.5%.

Claim 22 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 16 wherein the modulus to tensile strength ratio is less than about 10 and the maximum stretch is less than about 10%.

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Claim 23 (Cancelled)

Claim 24 (Cancelled)

Claim 25 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 16 wherein the sanitary tissue product further comprises an ingredient selected from the group consisting of temporary wet strength resins, softening agents and mixtures thereof.

Claim 26 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 16 wherein the sanitary tissue product comprises an undulatory surface.

Claim 27 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 16 wherein the differential density fibrous structure comprises two or more layers of fibers.

Claim 28 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 27 wherein at least one of the two or more layers has an average fiber length, L, of greater than or equal to 1.5 mm and at least one of the other layers has an average fiber length, L, of less than 1.5 mm.

Claim 29 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 28 wherein the at least one of the two or more layers having an average fiber length, L, of greater than or equal to 1.5 mm is positioned between two layers having an average fiber length, L, of less than 1.5 mm.

Claim 30 (Previously presented) The sanitary tissue product according to Claim 16 wherein the average fiber length, L, is less than about 1.8 mm.

Claim 31 (Cancelled)